GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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POULTRY INDUSTRY
KAMBALAPADU E. KRISHNAMURTHY

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that Poultry Industry is trailing behind as a result of steep increasein the prices of the poultry fodder;

(b) if so, the corrective steps taken by the Government in this regard;

(c) the quantum of poultry fodder being exported to other countries;

(d) the quantum of poultry fodder that is required for consumption in the country; and

(e) the remedial measures being taken by the Government to curtail the adverse situation caused by this export?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a)&(b): Question does not arise as in industrial poultry farming fodder are not usually fed to poultry.

(c): No export of poultry fodder has been made during 1997-98 to February 2001.

(d): In industrial poultry farming fodder are not usually fed to poultry.

(e): Does not arise.